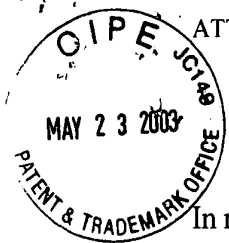


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In re Application of: ADDERTON et al. }
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Sir:

This is in response to the Office Action mailed February 25, 2003, requiring a restriction of the pending claims.

The Examiner required a restriction of the application to one of three identified inventions: Group I (claims 1-9); Group II (claims 10 and 40-44); and, Group III (Claims 11-23, 29-39, and 45-70).

Applicants elect the invention claimed by Group III, that is, claims 11-23, 29-39, and 45-70, for prosecution in this application. Applicants reserve the right to file divisional applications to prosecute the restricted claims.

The Examiner is invited to telephone the undersigned to resolve any outstanding issues or if a telephone call would be helpful toward expediting the case.

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